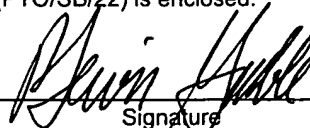




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Application Number 09/624,732	Filed July 25, 2000	
For APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CREATING AND MANAGING A FINANCIAL INSTRUMENT		
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<p>Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated, <u>October 8, 2002</u>, rejecting the following claims: <u>2-8, 10, 11, 13-20 and 22-47</u></p> <p>The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)) <u>\$ 320.00</u></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: <u>\$ 160.00</u></p> <p>A statement of small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has already been filed in this application.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>03-3415</u>. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed.</p> <p>I am the</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> applicant.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a).</p> <p>Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a): <u>22,479</u></p> <p>Cowan, Liebowitz & Latman, P.C. 1133 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10036-6799 Phone: (212) 790-9200 Fax: (212) 575-0671</p> <p> Signature R. Lewis Gable Typed or printed name</p> <p>April 7, 2003 Date</p>		

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